THE WEEK BEFORE LENT.

A LITTLE MORE PROSPERITY HOPED FOR AT THE THEATHES.

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The repertory at the Irving Place Theatre for the coming week is a varied one. Friday's play, "Wohlthätige Frauen," by Adolphe l'Arronge, will be repeated on Tuesday, while "Der Vellchenfreswhich met with success last week, will be repeated to-morrow. On Wednesday "Fallen Angels" will again be the bill. For Thursday "Schwabenstreiche" will be produced for the first time in many years. It has not been seen here in German since the days of the management of Adolf Neuendorff, at the then Germania Theatre, but Augustin Daly has produced it at his theatre under the title of "Seven-Twenty-Eight." "Schwabenstreiche" will be repeated on Friday and Saturday evenings, while at the Saturday matinee "Wohlthätige Frauen" will be presented.

Alexander Salvini returns to this city for his final engagement here this season to-morrow evening at the Harlen Opera House. As it is his first appearance in Harlem, the theatre-yoers of that section of the town are expected to turn out in large numbers. Mr. Salvini's stay is for one week, in which he is to present three of the most popular plays in his repertory. On Monday, Thursday and Saturday nights he will be seen in "The Three Guardsmen"; on Tuesday and Friday Paul Kester's new play, "Zamar" will be given, and on Wednesday night and at the Saturday matinee "Ruy Blas."

Mr. Hanley says that to judge from the almost ncessant laughter and applause which has been heard at Harrigan's Theatre since the revival of "The Leather Patch" last Monday evening, Edward Harrigan's production has made a hit. The many funny situations and local hits, combined Harrigan's production has made a hit. many funny situations and local hits, combined with Mr. Braham's songs, have been thoroughly members of the Methodist Episcopal churches of appreciated. Edward Harrison is not believe the members of the Methodist Episcopal churches of appreciated. Edward Harrigan is at his best as this city for the purpose of promoting social inter

company in the Southern States, and have acquired

MIDGLEY AND SCHENCK TAKE IT ALL BACK. The litigation carried on for about a year and a half between Mr. Albert G. Voight and the American Casualty Insurance and Security Company, of ONE FACTORY MAKES ENOUGH TO GIVE ONE TO Baltimore City, was formally terminated by two orders of the Supreme Court filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday by Eugene Frayer, Volght's attorney, discontinuing the insurance company's libel suk against Mr. Voight, and Mr. Voight's libel sult against Mr. William E. Midgley, the former president of that company, and vice-president of the American Steam Boiler Insurance Company.

As a part of the settlement, Mr. Midgley and Vincent R. Schenck, the secretary of the Scam Boiler Company and one of the general managers of the American Casuaity Company, both members of the American Casuaity Company, both members of the firm of Beecher, Schenck & Co, have simed and delivered to Mr. Voight a complete retraction of all the charges against him which they and their actorneys have been instrumental in causing to be published in newspapers and legal documents duping the year and a half of the litigation. In this they say that subsequent investigation has convinced them of their error, and that there was never any real ground for charging Mr. Voight wich the misconduct alleged against him, and that in all his transactions with the American Steam Boiler Insurance Company and with Beecher, Schenck & Benedict they have found him to be honest.

The other terms of the softlement are not disclosed, although it is understood from other sources that they included substantial pecuniary considerations paid or secured to Mr. Voight. the American Steam Boiler Insurance Company.

METHODIST SOCIAL UNION DINNER.

The Methodist Social Union, Robert S, Anderson Jermiah McCarthy, the undertaker, and the rest of the clever company is well drilled, giving a smooth performance and one that it is a pleasure to see.

Lovers of old-time ministrelsy will find pleasure in the sketch that will be presented at Tony Pastor's Theatre this week by McIntyre and Heath. These men, natives of the South, have been for many years travelling as proprietors of a ministrel company in the Southern States and have accounted and the secretaries of the Missionary will make some interesting statements concerning will make some interesting statements concerning will make some interesting statements concerning to seven months on official business of the Church, company in the Southern States and the respirit of Christian enterprise, course and the spirit of Christian enterprise, and the spirit of Christian enterprise, course and the spirit of Christian enterprise, and the spirit of Christian enterprise, course and the spirit of Christian enterprise, course and the spirit of Christian enterprise, course and the spirit of Christian enterprise, and the St. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Course and the secretaries of the Methodist Esiacopal Church, the St. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Course and the secretaries of the Methodist Esiacopal Church, the St. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Denis Hotel on February 20 to Bishop R. S. Deni

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CREASING IT.

MR. DAYTON TALKS ABOUT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL-

NEEDLESS RED TAPE. It has been one of the most trying duties of the better service here. The success has been varying. At present, however, the prospects for improved regulations and enlarged facilities seem brighter than they were a year or two ago, because public interest seems to have been aroused in the question. A passage in the annual report of Postmaster-General Bissell had direct reference to a change in which Postmaster Dayton is deeply concerned. This paragraph is:

"It is as collectors and distributors of what may be called the 'World's through mails,' that these (New-York and Chicago) offices render services not at all measured by the local population served, or by the extent of revenue received, and every facility should be provided for the greatest possible dispatch at those points. Nearly all the mails to and from the other nations of the world are disnatched from or received at the New-York office. There should be no hesitancy therefore to make such direct and needful appropriation as will admit of bringing these offices up to the highest branch of efficiency.

In regard to this, Mr. Dayton said, yesterday: In regard to this, Mr. Dayton said, yesterony, "During the past thirty years there has grown up a system in the Postoffice Department at Washington, which Postmaster-General Bissell evidently desires to break down and change—his effort is broad-inihed in the interest of the best postal service, and if carried out will result in an enormous increase of postal profits to the Government. "There is no doubt that where local responsibility exists, local power should also exist."

THE OLD ORDER. New-York was allowed an appropriation based upon a fair percentage of the revenues of the office, which appropriation he had the power to disburse in salaappropriation he had the power to disburse in salaries and other expenditures without interference from the department at Washington, unless he was found guilty of maiversation in office. He designated the steamships that were to carry the foreign mails from this country to other countries, and, in know, was not only an executive in name, but in fact. At that time, notwithstanding that the business of the office was very much less than at present, and, also, that the cost of living now is greater than it was then, the average salary paid to the employee of this office was far in excess of existing at some compensation meanwhile, the amount of work done has four or five times more than it was at that time. Of course, the responsibilities and duties of the basinesses in the large accession.

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nder the Civil Service law and the rules and
lations of the department, the Postmaster is
clically prohibited from making any appointis or increasing or reducing any salaries withdirect approval from Washington. He cannot
not one dollar of money for the most triling xjensi one dollar of money for the most trilling acidental expense without the like approval. A day r two ago, I forwarded to the department a communication stating that by an order of the Court of ommon Pleas of this city one of the cterks had hanged his name, and the reply I received was hat the communication would be duly considered his was from the Salary and Allowance Division, it in the usual roffline.

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Twenty-live years ago the Postmaster had sole jurisdiction over the boundaries of the branch stations, the length of carrier routes, the arranging of schedules for delivery of mais, etc. Under the rules and regulations, the number of carrier deliveries and collections cannot now be increased, changed or requeet without direct authority from the department; therefore it is that Postmaster-General Hissell, on my application for a redistricting of the city, has appointed a commission to investigate the subject and report to him. I look for the time when Postmaster-General Hissell will so change these rules and regulations as to avoid this cumbersome method of reaching results.

THE SECURITY AMPLE.

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* SCREWS FOR ALL CORKS.

EVERY MAN.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 27 (Special).—Hard times have made no difference with the corkscrew. More of them than ever were turned out during the last them than ever were turner out during the bayear. Newark is the birthplace of most of the corkscrews of the world. Hence this is a good spot to get statistics on the subject. When it is stated that one firm in this city alone made 100,000,000 corkscrews last year, the size and importance of the in-

except Sundays and holidays. It took a number more hands to make the wooden and other styles of handles. There are nearly fifty varieties in the market. Among them are the ring handle, steel wire screws for demijohns and large bottles; the folding screw and the broad wire handle screw. Several years ago an ice-pick and cigar-box opener was made with a screw concealed in the steel tube handle. The tube can be slipped off, and the ice-pick forms the handle of the screw. Another nov-

THE POSTMASTER'S POWER. breakage cut quite a figure. Large New-York restaurants buy corkscrews direct from the Newark taurants direct from the Newark taurants direct from the Newark taurants direct from the Newark

ABOVE THE HARLEM.

MANY INCIDENTS OF SOCIAL INTEREST-WORK TO BE RESUMED AND RELIEF MEAS-URES CARRIED ON.

The annual ball of the Youthful League is usually Postmaster of this city for years to struggle for one of the largest held in the northern part of larger than in other seasons. Ebling's Casino was handsomely decorated on Tuesday evening, when the members of the league and their friends asmbled. Among the guests were Judge and Mrs. William E. McCrea, Mrs. and Mrs. A. Moebus, Mr. and Mrs. John Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Knoeppel, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Linck and Mr. and Mrs. A. Aretander. The Entertainment Committee consisted of L. A. Mullholland, Arthur Aretander and A. Moebus. The officers of the club are: President, August Moebus; vice-president, John Van Gelder; corresponding secretary, L. A. Mullholland; financial secretary, W. St. John Houghton; treasurer, J. M. Linck.

work of relieving the poor was vigorously carried on last week. Contributions were received by the Relief Association from churches, Sundayhools and many private citizens. The proceeds of the gymnastic exhibition of the Melrose Turn Verein, amounting to over \$550, will be given to the associations. A conference of the St. suggestion of the Rev. Thomas F. Gregg, of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church, to relieve sufring among the poor. Over \$290 had been subscribed before an organization had been formed. The officers elected were John Barry, president; Patrick Walsh, vice-president; John P. Hennessy, the addition of fourteen feet to the length of the secretary, and James Whealon, treasurer. The Tiger Club has acranged to distribute every Saturday 500 pigs' heads, 200 pounds of pork, 200 pounds of beef and 600 loaves of bread. An entertainment

series list year, the size and importance of the industry will be understood. This bearts the record the Wilson bill ion't supposed to disturb the traffic in the least. It is hard to see just what is done with all the corkscrews that are manufactured every twelve months. There must be a tremendous lot of them broken and lost. The fact that the last year's yield was big enough to supply every voter on the globe with one, and leave enough over to supply the advocates of women suffrage, is proof of the statement.

The average length of the corkscrew is three inches. If the corkscrews turned on the market by one firm in 1833 could be laid length to length they would have extended from New-York to San Francisco, would have spanned the Pacific occan and reached half way across Japan. This, he it remembered, was the work of only one establishment. If all the new corkscrews of 1833 could be numbered, they would doubtless be sufficient to supply every inhabitant of this sphere with one of the articles.

It required nearly 160 men simply to twist the screws for the 160,000,00 implements. These men worked full time, too, and every day of the year, except Sundays and holidays. It took a number of the corkscrews had a not a control of the society on the format worked full time, too, and every day of the year, except Sundays and holidays. It took a number of the cork are partly 1619, varieties in the corkscreams of the Academy have already great plans.

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NOVEL FEATURES AT THE FRENCH BALL.

At the big misk balls in Paris nearly every one company in the southern states, and have acquired a fund of negation for quality, against asylings and ideas, which they have incorporated into a sketch that presents a picture of the South before the ward James F. Hoey returns for a week, and will present 'Harrison's Annal Cattletin's Annal Cattlet knows, that most of the fun and frolic of the night is born of the moment and occasion. Theatrical

REGRET THAT THE WORK IS GOING TO THE NORFOLK YARD-MORE WHITE PAINT

TO BE USED-A SHORT SUPPLY

OF ENLISTED MEN. At last Secretary Herbert has reached a decision on the report on the gunboat Machias, which was submitted by the Stability Board a few weeks ago, and has concluded that the best plan is to lengthen the vessel. Consequently the vessel will

leave the Navy Yard in the latter part of this week and go to Norfolk, where the work will be done. Preparations for the work are already being These consist in removing the masts from made. the Machias; they are too heavy for her, and as the masts made for the Marblehead are too for that ship, those of the Machias will be used in their place. At Norfolk the ship will be put in the drydock and cut in two; one of the parts will be drawn away from the other until there is an opening of fourteen feet, and then the two parts will be joined together by building a new section. In addition to this big job, several smaller alterations will be made. The smokestack will be made ten feet shorter, the fore and after bridges will be removed, the steel hawsers and nippers will be taken out, pole masts rigged in place of the being taken out, and the sponson will be made like Paul Society was formed last week at the the one on the Castine. The Castine is also going to Norfolk, and will receive the same alterations as the Machias with the exception of that to the sponson. The steam launches will be taken from both vessels and 26-foot cutters substituted.' The maximum speed will be reduced by a half knot by

ater distance without recoaling. of beef and 600 loaves of bread. An entertainment arranged by ladies of Morrisana for the benefit of the uptown Relief Association will take place at the West Morrisana Club house on Friday evening. The reopening, with a full force, of the J. L. Mott from Works will give employment to 600 men. A part of the street cleaning work above the Harlem will be done by men to be selected by the managers of the Relief Association.

The announcement of Mayor Gliroy that he will not appose the building of the Willis-ave, bridge at present will the a blow to a most persistent at present will the a blow to a most persistent at present will be a show to a most persistent at or beautiful of "boomers" above the Harlem River, who have in season and out of season, demanded the building of this expensive structure, which cannot for its object the urging of large appropriations for large appropriations for large appropriations for large appropriations and the bridge is needed at once.

The Fordham College baselail team will probably be a strong one in the approaching sons. Maurice E. Doran, %6, has been chosen as the manager, and practice in the case has begun. Seven of last year's nine will play.

The Hop Could have considerable value to the North Side to leave either their ship or their crew to leave either their ship or their crew at fine sorty to leave either their ship or the leave her. She is a happy ship; her officers and to leave her. She is a happy ship; her officers and so it is not known whether the vessels are to be put of commission in order to have the work of commission or not. But her officers would not like to leave her. She is a happy ship; her officers and treatment to have the work to leave the first part of men, and It is a question whether the vessels are to be put

vessels, but their increased coal capacity will make

them more useful cruisers by enabling them to go

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The Hose Corb, of St. Am's Church, has elected Thomas A. Merter president, Eichard Fensterer, the property during the daytime, and as soon as the work is done the daytime, and as soon as the work is done the description. The Hose Corb, of No. 78; Trinity-ave, gave a dance. Miss Lowel, of No. 78; Trinity-ave, gave a dance of the friends on Tuesday evening. Among for some of her friends on Tuesday evening. Among for some of her friends on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Johnson, No. 78; East One-hundred-home of M in Norfolk, where the weather is milder than in New-York, the construction officers

improvement of the interior finish of the new ships. | many others. It is well known that the New-York and the San Francisco have been beautifully and richly finished in hardwoods, so that the interiors of the cabins look not unlike fine mansions. But a number of the officers who have served on them have found the the laws of New-Jersey and Connecticut, to bear their share of taxation, which they have been seeking successfully to escape. President Barker, of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, said yesterday.

"The statement that is made that 2.54 foreign corporations which have heretofore escaped taxation will be taxed this year under the Thurber-Wiydand decision of the Court of Appeals is not correct. The fact is that in the year 182, 1849 foreign corporations were taxed, and in 1820, 1841 were haved. The Court of Appeals by its decision has affirmed the decisions of the lower courts at the correctness of our action at 1802 and 1833 in taxing these corporations, and this, year, when the backs of the Tax Fepartment opened, 2.64 foreign corporations appeared in the books and were called upon to make their returns to be Balle, it will give an increased number of 260 corporations over the number taxed has year felt to expect that all of this number have anything taxable would be hardly reasonable, particularly as well as the correctness of our action have nothing assessable in the city, being merely agents here, and while the decision of the Court of Appeals affirms the correctness of our action in 1822 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action have not foreign the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of our action in 1820 and 1830 in the correctness of ou light so deficient in the cabins and war-frooms that

FUN AT THE FLATBUSH CLUBS.

MIDWOODD AND KNICKERBOCKER FIELD.

The Social Committee of the Midwood Club at Flatbush provided a pleasant entertainment for a large gathering of the members last night. William L. Keese, president of the club, delivered a lecture on "Oliver Wendell Holmes" before a large gathering of the members and their wives last Wednesday evening. Arrangements have been perfected to have a dance on next Wednesday evening, and the Social Committee has left nothing undone to make the affair a success. On Monday evening H. J. Johnson, J. W. Haviland, Alfred Matthews, G. T. Cone and F. J. Steinbugler, of the interclub bowling team, broke even with the Carleton Club. To-morrow night the two Flatbush club teams will compete for the first time in the tourney.

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wide, 50c.; value 65c. Two-tone Surah Silks, 60c.; value 75c.

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from \$1.25 to \$1.75. FRENCH PRINTED CHALLIES, new effects and exquisite colorings, in full assortments.

spring wear, 40 to 45 inches wide, 65c.; reduced

WASH GOODS-Scotch Zephyr Ginghams, new weaves and beautiful effects. French printed Jäckonets, Organdies, Dotted Swiss, Batista Brillantees and Satines.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT-The balance of our stock of ladies' fine Garments at less than half

A small lot of fine Imported Black Wraps at \$15.00; former prices from \$30.00 to \$65.00. Waterproof Cloaks, from \$1.50 to \$15.00; All-

wool Cravenette Cloaks. SHAWLS-Fine Himalayan Travelling Shawls in great variety of patterns; Black Merine Shawls, \$3.00 to \$15.00.

India Chadda Shawls from \$5.00 to \$25.00. Double Blanket Shawls, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

LINEN DEPARTMENT-Remnants of Table Linens, Glass and Dish Towellings, Shirting Linens, Pillow Linens, Sheeting Linens, Odd % dozen lots of Napkins, Odd Doilies, left over from our January sale, at 1-3 less than regular

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ciety, \$2,000; for mission work and Union for Christian Work, \$2,000.

BROOKLYN NEWS NOTES.

O. M. Nichols will retire from the office of general manager of the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad Company to-morrow, and will be succeeded by Anthony Barrett, one of the directors, Mr. Nichols will remain with the company as chief engineer.
The office of general superintendent is to be created to relieve Mr. Barrett of routine work.

Thomas K. Fielding, a harnessmaker, was arrested vesterday on a charge of marrying Mrs. Harriet Ibbot, knowing that she had a husband living. She was married in England, and her husband was afterward sentenced to prison. She thought that this divorced her, and she was married to Fielding. He is seeking to have the marriage set aside on the ground of the first husband's exist-ence, and Mrs. Fielding secured his arrest, It is alleged that he knew she was not divorced, as he had been acquainted with her and her husband in

Dr. James F. Kemp, professor of geology in Columbia College, will lecture on "Certain Features in the Geological Development of the Earth, Which Illustrate the Power, the Wisdom and the Goodness of God," in Association Hall this evening.

The funeral of George H. Edbrooke, the architect, who committed suicide on Thursday, took place yesterday at his home, No. 104 Lincoln Place, The seventh lecture of the Brooklyn Ethical Association's free course on "Life, and the Conditions of Survival," will be given in the Second Unitarian Church, Clinton and Congress sts., this evening at 7:45 o'clock, by Dr. Martin L. Holbrook; subject, "Locomotion as Related to Life and Survival." The discussion will be opened by Professor Almon G. Merwin.

The thirteenth annual reception of the Kings County Wheelmen will be given on Thursday even-ing, February 3, in the Pouch Mansion, No. 345 Clinton-ave.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Marie Elinor Ahrens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Ahrens, of No. 78 Ross-st., Brooklyn, to Alfred Seibert, on Tuesday evening, February 6.

A fair for the benefit of the poor was held at the home of Miss Luclia Low, No. 433 on Friday. The sum of \$13.01 was realized on the sale of fancy articles and candies. The originators were four little girls of eleve a years—Misses Luells Low, Edna Bayles, Emma Hodgson and Lizzie

DEATH OF MRS. GEORGE P. BRADFORD. Mrs. George P. Bradford died on Friday at her home, No. 175 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, She came from New-England stock, tracing her lineage from Urian Oakes, who was the second president of Harvard College in 1680. Mrs. Bradford was well Harvard College in 1689, Mrs. Brauford was those in Brooklyn for active work among charities. She had served on several committees in Kings County auxiliary to the State charities, and made many visits to asyjums, hospitals and prisons.

The funeral will take place at her home this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The burlal will be in Plainfield, Conn.

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BEQUESIS TO CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

John W. Frothingham, who died on January 13 at his home in Remsen-st., left an estate valued at shee charitable bequests: Brooklyn Children, 51,000; Brooklyn Hospital, \$3,000; Following that hospital, \$3,000; Following the Society, \$3,000; Brooklyn Hospital, \$3,000; Following that hospital, \$3,000; Following that hospital, \$3,000; Following that hospital, \$3,000; Following the Children, \$3,000; First Unitarian Congregational Society, \$3,000; First Unitarian Congregational Society \$3,000; First Unitarian Congregational Society \$3,000; First Unitarian Congregational Society \$3,000; First Unitarian Co From the Boston Herald.